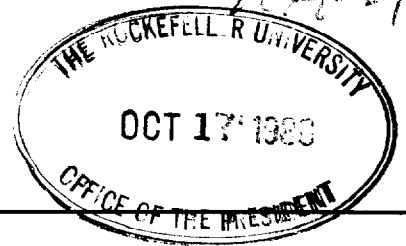


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Dear Josh:

I hope that you and Marguerite can join The Commonwealth Fund Book Committee at dinner on Friday, November 4. The Committee members are included on the enclosed list so you will see that you will be amongst friends. I would personally be very pleased if you could be with us, and both Lewis Thomas and Alick Bearn join me in saying that we hope you can indeed be at the dinner.

The place will be The Cosmopolitan Club, 122 East 66th Street, New York. At 7:00 p.m. there will be cocktails, with dinner following. Please have someone call my office and speak with my colleague, Dale Hill, if I am absent - as I am likely to be, given my travel schedule. I hope that your answer will be positive. It will not be a late evening, that I can assure you; but it will be an enjoyable time. On that score I am confident, particularly if you two attend.

Sincerely,

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Margaret E. Mahoney

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cc: Dr. Alexander Bearn  
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